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Applicant : Karl Joachim Ebeling, et al.
Filed : January 15, 2002
Art Unit : 2828
Examiner : Armando Rodriguez
Title : Vertical Laser Diode with Means for
Beam Profile Forming
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Responsive to the Office Action dated June 4, 2004 kindly
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this
paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 12 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following the last page of this paper.